

# To Search for Submarine

## Our Daily Bread

Sliced Thin by The Editor

ALEX. H. WASHBURN

One Job at a Time

Congressman Oren Harris speaking before Hope Rotary club Friday noon made a plea for united support of the administration's foreign policy. "It is the only policy conceivable under present circumstances—to arm our own country and to lend aid to our friends," he said.

"Those who attack the administration for partisan reasons are, I think, being unfair to the government and to the people," he continued.

## Life-Struggle for Leningrad Drawing Near

Russians Claim Counter Attacks Successful; Nazis Say Little

Roaring artillery battle for Leningrad with the Germans reporting the city under direct fire and the Russians claiming the recapture of four villages in counter attacks highlighted the struggle on the entire Russian east front Friday.

The Germans who previously claimed to be within 20 miles of Leningrad an easy range for big cannons, gave no details of any action on the entire front.

The Russians acknowledged that the hot pace of the life and death battle for Leningrad was increasing and claimed destruction of a heavy German gun battery.

Defense Battered  
The reports said the defense of Leningrad was bolstered by the arrival of Russian troops from Talmu which were "exhausted" successfully, before the Germans took the city.

"These forces are already back in the battle," the Russians said. Other dispatches indicated that both sides were bringing up big guns for the battle of Leningrad.

Kiev, Odessa Holding  
Russia's two other beleaguered cities, Kiev, Ukraine capital on whose approaches the Germans are attempting to attack and Odessa, Black sea port which the Rumanians have locked in siege, also have strengthened their resistance, it was said.

Red army troops, Red navy sailors and civilians, fulfilling an oath to defend the city to the last drop of blood, are mowing down the Rumanian forces by the thousands, Pravda, Communist party organ, reported. A mass meeting of the Kiev populace took similar oaths to fight to the death, Pravda said.

Adolf Hitler's war bulletin indicating that the ring of steel which the German and Finnish forces tightened around Leningrad said:  
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## Vesey Granted an Extension

Asks 30-Day Delay in Establishing Bus Line

LITTLE ROCK — (AP) — The corporation commission Friday granted John P. Vesey of Hope, a 30-day extension of time for beginning bus operations from Hope to Camden and from Hope to the southwestern proving grounds area north Hope.

He was scheduled to have started operation August 27. The commission said Vesey had been unable to obtain equipment because of the defense program.

## Cranium Crackers

Flying High  
Everybody's getting up in the air these days as the war makes the nation aviation-conscious. Check your knowledge of the flying business with these questions.

1. What is the difference between "unlimited ceiling" and "ceiling zero"?
  2. Do airlines have sleeping accommodations like Pullman cars?
  3. Has there been a shortage of aviation gas as well as automobile gas reported in the east?
  4. What is the difference between a contact flight and an instrument flight?
  5. About how many warplanes were built in U. S. in July?
- Answers on Comic Page

## Defense Effort Prevented War, Harris Asserts

Accounts for Japan Backing Off From U. S. Congressman Says

"The United States is faced with a condition, and therefore has adopted a national policy—namely, to prepare ourselves for any eventuality, and to lend aid to our friends," Congressman Oren Harris of El Dorado, a native son of Hempstead county, told Hope Rotary club Friday noon in Hotel Barlow.

Reviewing the construction of the 15-million-dollar Southwestern Proving Ground here and other vast National Defense projects throughout America, Congressman Harris asked:

"Why are we faced with such a circumstance?"

The speaker sketched the rise of Hitler toward world power, his quick overturning of ill-prepared nations, or nations somewhat prepared but too divided among themselves to make a successful defense of their country.

Warned by events in Europe, America armed for her own defense. Congressmen Harris said, "and had we not done so it is my firm belief our country would at this moment be involved in a shooting war."

He said that the United States is sending aviation gasoline to Russia, through Japanese-controlled waters, despite Japan's protest—and that if America had not already largely prepared herself Japan would probably stop those shipments by force.

Turning to Europe, Congressman Harris said, "If Russia can hold out against Germany through this coming winter—and of course this remains doubtful—you will see a different attitude throughout the world. However, this thing won't end soon."

The congressman said he believed Hitler had passed his peak and now faces a decline in prestige and power.

"The end will come," Mr. Harris said, "when the struggle of a long war presses down so greatly upon his own people that they will revolt and set up a different government. You recollect that very thing happened in Germany in 1918—at the end of another long war."

The congressman, visiting his home state on a brief leave from Washington, was introduced by Roy Anderson, Mr. Harris' brother.

His brother, Willie Harris, a member of his secretarial staff, whose home is in Hope, has been here on an extended visit.

## Josephine to Close Until September 20

Dr. G. E. Cannon announced Friday that the Josephine Hospital would be closed for two weeks, reopening September 20. Dr. Cannon will attend a two-weeks study course at the Mayo Clinic, and asked for his patient's indulgence during his absence.

## A Thought

There is no man so good, who were he to submit all his thoughts and actions to the laws, would not deserve hanging ten times.—Mon? taigne.

## Italian Liner Is Believed Sunk

LONDON — (AP) — A large Italian liner of the type known to be serving for troop transport—believed the Duilio of the 23,000 ton class—has been torpedoed and almost certainly sunk Friday it was said in a series of British successes in the Mediterranean the Admiralty announced.

## SPG Employees Paid Friday

\$100,000 Goes to More Than 2,700 Workers

Money jingled in the pockets of some 2,700 employees of the Southwestern Proving Ground, Friday as W. E. Callahan Construction Company, contractor for project, met a payroll estimated at approximately \$100,000.

The payroll began when checks were issued Administrative and Office Personnel during the morning and will be completed when men working in the field are given their checks after 5 p. m.

To speed the payment as much as possible, sixteen windows at the proving ground will be issuing checks simultaneously. However, before receiving his check, each employee must display his badge carrying his picture and identification number.

This week's payroll is the largest issued to date by the contractor and reflects the steady gain in momentum of the big job.

Hope business houses are preparing to make every effort to meet the buying rush sure to follow the release of this payroll.

## Civilian Defense Program Friday

Nationwide Broadcast Planned by Committee

Rep. Telbot Field, Jr., chairman of the local Civilian Military Defense council, received the following telegram Friday:

Executive Director,  
Arkansas Defense Committee  
State House, Little Rock, Ark.  
Mayor LaGuardia, Mrs. Roosevelt and Paul McNutt broadcasting Friday night 7:30 Eastern Standard Time, Columbia Broadcasting system, outlining new defense centers which all states and municipalities will be asked to set up. Kindly notify all local defense councils under your jurisdiction. Pamphlets and instructional data being mailed from Washington Friday relative to above.

Colonel Edward L. Wilbur, Acting Regional Director, 7th Civilian Defense Area.

Rep. Field also announced that a radio program would be given by the State Defense council between 6 and 7 o'clock Friday night in which the treatment of soldiers during their stay in Hope will be discussed.

The area of the District of Columbia is 69 square miles.

## Best Tank Troops Develop 'Nose for Mud'—Great Enemy of Iron Cavalry

Develop 'Feel' for Dreaded 'Gumbo' Traps

By RALPH MARTIN  
NEA Special Correspondent  
WITH THE THIRD ARMY IN LOUISIANA — Army tank-men hate mud with a fervent intensity that is unequalled.

Take a cussword—take any newly coined cussword just afloat in the language—and if it is blisteringly and sincerely expressive, then the odds are that some sweating, pestered tank-man in the slithering "gumbo mud" of west Louisiana manufactured it.

Mud is the tank's greatest natural enemy. Sun-roasted, experienced tankers say that even the new light, 15-ton tanks can ride down trees 14 inches in diameter. They can wallow up steep inclines at 45 degree angles. They can ford streams as deep as 3 feet and 7 inches—if the bottom is reasonably solid. They can crush through thickets and blast through frame houses. Tanks can gather their multiple feet under them and scale concrete obstacles and they can sprint across open stretches at 65 miles per hour. The medium and heavy tanks can outdo even most of this.

But really bad mud stops them all.

And once a tank is immobilized it is worse than useless—it is fair game for anti-tank guns.

Tankers Must Develop "Feel"  
For Terrain

The big-scale war maneuvers in west Louisiana and east Texas, concentrating half a million troops for the biggest peace-time war maneuver ever staged on this continent, has two objectives for tankmen:

In the simulated combat of uncontrolled war games the tankers and warplane aviators will get intensive training in close co-ordination, developing the steel spearhead of the vital "break-through" force.

But development of a "mud instinct" among the tank-men is equally important.

The 133rd G. H. Q. Tank Battalion, federalized National Guard companies from Texas, Alabama, Colorado, and Georgia, for instance, has been scrimmaging in preliminary exercises, designed to develop an instinctive "feel for terrain."

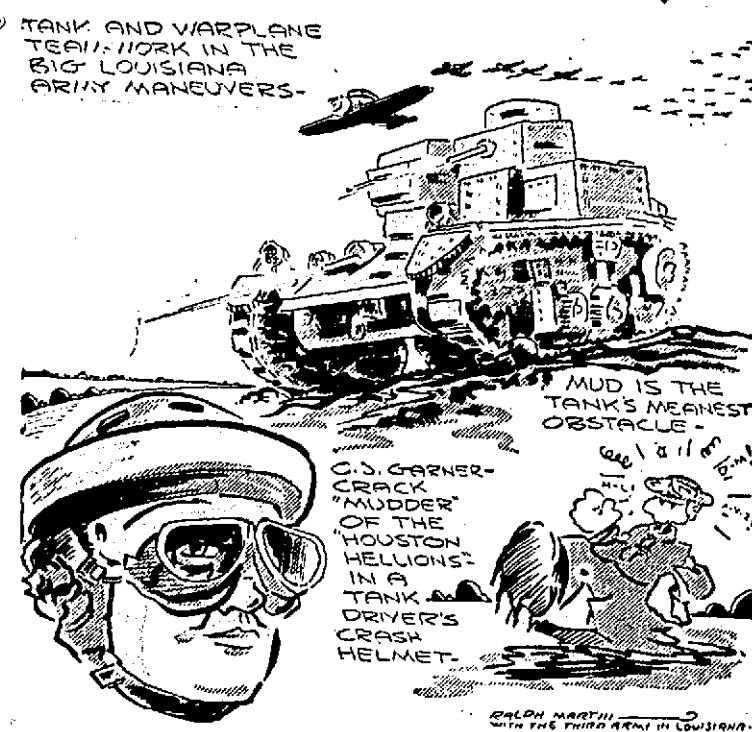
Officers of this crack combat force have noted that a few tank-men have a queer instinct for nosing out uneasy ground. The instinct is akin to the "feel" old-time steamboat pilots had for ferreting out treacherous shoal waters, enabling them to guide a safe but zig-zag course through deep channels. The answer to the mud menace is to learn to detect and avoid it.

The men who can do this make tank-drivers and tank commanders.

The average rookie trains for four months before he becomes a seasoned tankman. A few recruits take to the tank service with instinctive ease—others can never develop the knack and are shifted to the administrative unit or elsewhere. It is required that every man in the tank be able to drive the battle wagon in case of emergency.

Army's "Steel Sweethearts"  
The main requirement is a love of machinery. Officers of a tank battalion wear grins on their faces when they see their young tankers lovingly grooming their "steel sweethearts"

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## Union Heads to Call Rail Strike

Officials Indicate 900,000 Workers to Strike

CHICAGO — (AP) — Chiefs of 9 railway unions announced Friday that they were authorized to call a nationwide strike to enforce a demand for wage increases.

Heads of the 9 operating unions with a membership of 900,000 set the date tentatively for September 1.

Leaders of the operating unions reported that a preliminary strike vote showed that out of 287,000 votes 283,429 were for striking and 3,751 were against.

Alvan Johnston, head of the Brotherhood of locomotive engineers, said operating unions would announce the date for the strike within three days.

He said the union would undoubtedly reject a proposal to arbitrate the dispute and added the were eager to have a fact finding board, appointed by President Roosevelt, to investigate and report. This is the final step in union procedure.

Johnston said a final wage offer was made before the strike vote was announced but said it was so complicated that they considered it no offer at all.

## Spring Hill Singing to Be Held Sunday

The public is invited to attend a singing which is to be held at 7:30 Sunday night at Spring Hill.

Several quartets including the Bodcaw, Henshaw, and the Warren quartets, will be present.

## "X" Required

In ancient times, the use of "X" as a signature was not confined to illiterates. It was required on all signatures as a mark of good faith.

## Army Nears State Line

Withdrawing Almat Forces Pursued by Kotmk Units

WITH THE SECOND ARMY ON THE ARKANSAS-LOUISIANA BORDER — (AP) — Crossing the Ouachita river in a mass attack and straddling the state line of Louisiana and Arkansas the Second Cavalry Friday threatened the east flank of the Almat forces withdrawing into Louisiana.

Anti-aircraft guns of the 40th Coast Artillery, brought into action for the first time, teamed with the Ft. Riley, Kansas units to vault the heavy equipment across the Ouachita river, near El Dorado.

Headed on the east shore for a day the group spread out and encircled a suicide squadron holding the bridge. An Almat counter attack was broken up by ten planes in attack. It was the first use of planes with horse troops.

Light cavalry units swept across the river on foot bridges on the state line while the 3rd Cavalry Brigade, the only negro division, crossed on heavy pontoon bridges. The 4th Regiment followed them. Thus a strong line was established.

Meanwhile Major-General Ridley's Kotmk 5th and 8th Divisions having crossed the Ouachita from Camden to El Dorado began pursuit.

## Washington to Open Schools

Building Site Depends on Number of Registrations

Tuesday September 9, the Washington white school will open, at 8:45 for registration. All students will be classified and orders will be placed for school books.

The school board will have a meeting Tuesday night and decide whether the 1941-42 term will be in the regular school building or in the old court house; their final decision will be based on the number of students who plan to attend the Washington School be present Tuesday morning.

The buses will run to Ozon, to district No. 56 and to the Cross Roads. The regular schedule of the buses will be determined by the registration of students Tuesday morning.

There is enough concrete in Grand Coulee Dam to give every person in the United States a piece weighing 35½ pounds.

## Cotton

By the Associated Press  
NEW ORLEANS

Oct.	17.33	17.48	17.27	17.47
Nov.	17.51	17.68	17.45	17.65
Dec.	17.55			
Jan.	17.55			
Feb.	17.67	17.85	17.64	17.84
March	17.75	17.96	17.72	17.95
April	17.67	17.87	17.67	17.87

NEW YORK  
Oct. 17.35 17.45 17.25 17.41  
Nov. 17.53 17.66 17.44 17.61  
Dec. 17.58 17.68 17.50 17.65  
Jan. 17.66 17.80 17.60 17.77  
Feb. 17.74 17.89 17.67 17.86  
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April 17.71 17.85 17.63 17.85

Middling Spot 18.01.  
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## The Weather

Cloudy with scattered thunder-showers, cooler in the south portion Friday night; Saturday cloudy.

## Will Eliminate Sub That Fired on U. S. Ship

Roosevelt Indicates U. S. S. Greer Attacked More Than Once

WASHINGTON — (AP) — President Roosevelt said Friday that the U. S. Destroyer Greer had been attacked more than once and that steps were being taken to track down the marauding submarine and that the vessel would be eliminated if found.

Roosevelt, speaking to a press conference, did not say how many attacks were made on the vessel which was carrying mail to Iceland but said they occurred in daylight and definitely on the American side of the ocean.

Clearly Marked  
He said that while the Greer was alone at the time the torpedoes were launched at her with no other American ships nearby but that she was clearly marked and flying an American flag.

Asked what would be done if the attacking vessel was found Roosevelt said he supposed American forces would eliminate it or try to.

He authorized a direct quotation of the word eliminate and said it was a good one. He also said the Greer was attacked in daylight and under conditions of good visibility.

Depth Charges Dropped  
The navy department announced that torpedoes were launched at the Greer Thursday morning and said the destroyer dropped depth charges.

The president didn't say whether all the attacks occurred at once or spaced intervals.

He left little doubt that he approved the action of the commander of the vessel in taking steps against the submarine by dropping depth charges.

He said it was very fortunate that the destroyer was not hit, remarking that it was beyond his power to say why the aim was so poor.

As a landlover to a sea expert, a reporter enquired, "Is it possible for a submarine to mistake the identity of a ship in daylight?"

The president said he would put his explanation this way:

"If a submarine had its periscope above the surface there is no excuse for wrong identification as most torpedoes are fired by visual sights."

He added however, that almost all navies, including the German and Italian, have listening devices and it is possible for them to fire at a boat.

To an inquiry as to whether it was possible for a ship to be on the American side of the Atlantic and at the same time in a belligerent zone proclaimed by the Germans, Roosevelt said:

"This country has never been notified of the establishment of such a zone."

To further questions of whether the Greer behaved in accord with international policy in dropping depth charges immediately the President said there was no information to the contrary. He asked the questioner what he would do if attacked.

The president himself brought up the attack in opening his press conference telling reporters that he knew they would all be asking about it.

Being Played Up  
BERLIN — (AP) — Authorized German sources asserted Friday that the Greer was being played up by American interventionists.

A new commentary, close to the foreign office said some interventionists were inflating for making it the long-yearned for incident in the Atlantic.

## Strike Called on Texarkana Papers

Negotiations for renewal of a union contract between 20 printers and the Texarkana morning Gazette and evening News were climaxed Thursday afternoon with a strike, the printers picketing the tow papers. The morning Gazette was published Friday, however. A five-day week and a new wage scale were said to be issues involved in the controversy.

## Full Retribution, Philadelphia Version

PHILADELPHIA — (AP) — Keenan Wynn, arriving late for a personal appearance explained that he had been halted for speeding. He was taken before a justice of the peace who said "So you're Ed Wynn's boy, eh? Well I was to his last show, and I certainly enjoyed it. You know, I've heard some funny stories I think your father could use."

The justice told them and Wynn laughed heartily.

"Like 'em eh?" said the justice. "Well, that'll cost you \$4.40—which is what I had to pay to laugh at your father!"

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### CUTE ANIMAL

**HORIZONTAL**

1 God of war.  
5 Animal from China.  
10 Courageous.  
14 Not as much.  
15 Contrary.  
16 On the sea.  
17 Compass point.  
18 Blenheim.  
22 Near.  
23 Away.  
25 Cry.  
27 Clothing.  
29 Because.  
31 Snarl.  
33 Ever.  
34 Flavor.  
37 Depict.  
39 Bones of the body.  
42 New.  
43 Surfeit.  
45 Was seated.  
46 Silkworm.  
47 Seraglio.  
49 Knockout (slang).  
60 Evil.  
61 Unmarried woman.  
63 Ocean.  
64 Editor (abbr.).  
66 Prepared.  
67 Horse.

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**

**VERTICAL**

1 Too.  
2 Part of a sail.  
3 Suffix.  
4 Compass point.  
5 Skin openings.  
6 Accompany.  
7 New England state (abbr.).  
8 Atmospheric vapor.  
9 Field.  
10 Humorous.  
80 English jacket.  
81 Images.  
82 Card with three spots.

**13 Tropical fruit.**  
**19 Exclamation of disgust.**  
**21 Dined.**  
**24 Captivate.**  
**26 Paper.**  
**28 Flower.**  
**30 Female saint (abbr.).**  
**32 Pomp.**  
**34 Lock of hair.**  
**35 Eagle's nest.**  
**36 Half an em.**  
**38 Fish bait.**  
**40 Oven-cooker.**  
**41 Rocky.**  
**44 Time.**  
**48 Manner.**  
**52 Raised platform.**  
**55 Kind of grass.**  
**58 Tails.**  
**60 Sand hill.**  
**61 Single thing.**  
**63 Title (abbr.).**  
**68 Japanese state (abbr.).**  
**69 Friend.**  
**70 Wand.**  
**72 Perform.**  
**75 Behold.**  
**77 Swindle.**  
**79 Measure.**

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Philadelphia	37	92	.287

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Chicago 3-4, St. Louis 0-3.  
Pittsburgh 4, Cincinnati 0.  
Boston-New York, rain.  
Brooklyn-Philadelphia, rain.

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### Mind Your Manners

Test your knowledge of correct social usage by answering the following questions, then checking against the authoritative answers below:

1. Which of the following ways of acknowledging an introduction are wrong and which are right: "Pleased to meet you," "Glad to know you," "How do you do?" "Delighted to make your acquaintance?"

2. Which of the following would be correct if you were introducing a young man and a young woman: "Miss Brown, this is Mr. Jones," "Mr. Jones, I want you to know Miss Brown," "Miss Brown, Mr. Jones."

3. Is it better, when introducing one's mother-in-law, to say "This is my mother-in-law" or "This is Jim's mother?"

4. When one is in the wrong is it better to apologize or make excuses?

5. Is it correct for a man to speak of his wife as Mrs. Smith, when he is talking to a servant? What would you do if—

You call on a neighbor and suspect that she has had to stop her work to talk to you—

(a) Stay only five minutes, and then make an excuse to leave?  
(b) Stay for the chat you came to have?

**Answers**

1. "How do you do?" is correct. The others are wrong.

2. Both "Miss Brown, this is Mr. Jones" and "Miss Brown, Mr. Jones" are correct. The other is incorrect because the woman's name should be spoken first.

3. The latter is the most friendly, though both are correct.

4. Apologize.

5. Yes.

Best "What Would You Do?" solution—(a).

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### WASH TUBBS

HA, HA! THEES AMERICAN... WAT A ZEEEMPLE FOOL! I ROB HEEM ONCE, AND NOW HE EES GOING TO SHOW ME MORE MONEY THAN HE HIDE IN THE GROUND!

YES, IN FACT HERE'S THE SPOT!

HEY!

WELL, MY FRAN ARE WE CLOSE?

### POPEYE

YOU WANTED MY STOCKINGS, WIMPY?

YES, KINDLY HOLD THEM A MOMENT

WE HAVE DISCOVERED THE TADPOLES SECRET! WE BELIEVE WE CAN GROW LEGS ON MERMAIDS!

BONK!

BUT—OUR EXPERIMENT IS DOOMED UNLESS WE CAN PERSUADE AT LEAST ONE MERMAID THAT LEGS ARE DESIRABLE

BAM!

### DONALD DUCK

GOOD MORNING! I'M TAKING DR. TROT'S POLL OF PUBLIC OPINION: ARE YOU IN FAVOR OF WAR OR PEACE?

PEACE, BROTHER! IT'S WONDERFUL!

GOOD AFTERNOON! I'M TAKING DR. CANTER'S POLL OF PUBLIC OPINION: ARE YOU IN FAVOR OF WAR OR PEACE?

PEACE, SHUM... SHAM! PEACE!

### BLONDIE

WHERE IS MY PIPE?

WHAA

WHAA

### BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

GEE, FERD... THE DANCE WAS OVER, BUT I'M GONNA FOP RIGHT HERE WHILE I'M LAID UP! I SEE HE DONT ESCAPE AGAIN!

AW-W, BOOTS... NO! NO! NO! VA IN MY ARMS...

G'NIGHT, FERDY! IT'S QUITE LATE

BUT, BUNNY... I HAVEN'T BEGUN TELL...

### ALLEY OOP

YES, WOND'ER... DAYS ARE OVER, BUT I'M GONNA FOP RIGHT HERE WHILE I'M LAID UP! I SEE HE DONT ESCAPE AGAIN!

AMDS YOU OLD PIRATE, YOU SURE HAD US WORRIED.

VEH... AN I SPRAINED MY ANKLE!

THAT'S TOUGH, COP... BUT I SEE IT DIDNT KEEP YOU FROM BRINGING BOOM BACK—THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT HAS ARRANGED A NICE PARTY FOR HIM!

### FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

THAT'S THE KIND OF COMPETITION YOU HAVE, SON! YOU'D BETTER STICK TO JUNE WAYMAN!

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### FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

DID YOU EVER NOTICE A CAT'S WHISKERS? THEY KEEP A CAT FROM GETTING INTO THINGS THAT DON'T FIT HIS HEAD!

### A Dirty Trick

CARRAMBA! CARRAZZO! THE BLANKETY-BANKED UNFORTUNABLE BANDY! BEFORE I AVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO ROB HEEM AGAIN, HE STEAL MY HORSE!

SPLASH!

### Thimble Theater

MISS ANCHOVY REFUSES LEGS BECAUSE SHE HAS SEEN NO ATTRACTIVE SAMPLES

YOO-HOO!! MISS ANCHOVY, I HAVE SOME LEGS TO SHOW YOU

### A Man of Peace!

GOOD EVENING! I'M TAKING...

HOW'D DO I'M TAKING...

PEACE, SISTER!

PEACE, BROTHER...

### Dagwood Pipes Down

WELL, WHERE IS MY PIPE?

PLEASE

### By Edgar Martin

OH, BUT... I'M NOT USED TO SUCH LATE ARRIVALS! HONEST! ON THE FARM...

LOOK, YA AREN'T IN TH' COUNTRY T'NIGHT... YOU'RE IN TOWN AN'...

NOW, FERD... IT'S STILL LATE... IN ANY COMMUNITY...

BUT... ON MOONLIGHT SAVING TIME...

### By Fred Harman

WELL, HARPER'S RUSTLIN' DAYS ARE OVER, BUT I'M GONNA FOP RIGHT HERE WHILE I'M LAID UP! I SEE HE DONT ESCAPE AGAIN!

HE WONT ESCAPE! HE KNOWS HE'S BEHIND BARS! HE'D BETTER LET THE FOLKS GET THEIR HANDS ON HIM, SHERIFF!

### R. S. V. P. and Stuff

SORRY, BUT I CAN'T BE THERE! DON'T FORCE ME TO SEND MY REGRETS IN LEAD!

WHY, THAT BUM 'AN' ME CRIPPLE!

NOW, OSCAR, DON'T YOU THINK YOU'D BETTER RECONSIDER? YOU WOULDNT WANT THE CHIEF TO FEEL GLITCHED, WOULD YOU?

TUM, TH' G-MAN! I HAVE TAUGHT ME THERE'S MORE TO LIVING THAN BEING KICKED ON THE DRUM!

### By Merrill Blosser

POP YOUR LECTURE ON ANIMALS WAS VERY INTERESTING... BUT THE FACT STILL REMAINS THAT YOU WERE NEVER KISSED BY GLORIA GLAMOUR!



# SOCIETY

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## Social Calendar

Monday, September 8th  
Circle number 3 of the First Christian Church will meet Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of Mrs. H. C. Whitworth on 308 South Elm.

The Y. W. A. of the First Baptist Church will have their special mission program Monday evening at the First Baptist church.

All girls taking Senior Home Economics are requested to meet with their instructor, Miss Ruth Taylor, at the cottage at 10 o'clock. Work will be started on home projects. It is very important that all girls be present.

United Daughters of Confederacy Have September Meeting

The United Daughters of Confederacy met at the home of Mrs. J. A. Henry with Mrs. J. S. Gibson and Mrs. G. W. Gorman as co-hostesses. Mrs. Gorman, the presiding officer, opened the meeting with a salute to the Confederate flag. Following a short business meeting with reports from all the committees, the meeting was turned over to Mrs. Don Smith, the program chairman. The program consisted of the Life of Raphael Simms by Miss Maggie Bell and a selection was read from the year book by Mrs. H. C. Whitworth, Chairman of the Year Book Program Committee.

After the program a social hour was enjoyed. The hostesses served ice cream and cake.

Federated Garden Club of City Invited to University Institute

The second annual garden institute will be held September 10, 11, and 12 at the University of Arkansas at Fayetteville. Principal speakers will be Mr. Humer Towns, Fort Worth, Texas, who will use for his subject "Keep America's Worth Defending," Mrs. Ben G. O'Neal of Wichita Falls,

Texas, will talk on "Prize Winning Cypripediums," Mr. Royal Dixon, author and lecturer, will discuss "Gardens, Women, and Defense," and Mrs. G. C. Spillers of Tulsa, Oklahoma, Regional Vice President, will tell of the plans for the forthcoming year for this region.

The University has arranged with the faculty members to analyze garden soils for the members of the Garden Institute. Any individuals wishing analyses must bring samples of not less than a pint of their garden soil. These can easily be brought in fruit jars in which the name and address of the owner should be placed. The college specialists will be available for consultation on soil problems and will furnish each individual with an analysis of the soil brought. Should there not be time available to make all the analyses during the institute period, they will be mailed out at a later time.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Downing have arrived from Venice, California, where Mr. Downing is now connected with the Southwestern Proving Ground.

Dr. and Mrs. Neighbors will be in Texarkana Monday attending the District Dental Convention.

Mrs. B. M. Jones and Mrs. E. N. May and daughter Margaret left Monday for San Diego, California, where they will visit friends and relatives.

Mr. A. D. Brannan and sons, Alfred Junior and Johnny, Misses Enola and Martha Ann Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Alexander and Lee Roy Murphy Junior, motored to Hot Springs for the week-end.

Miss Phyllis Williams is spending the week-end in Prescott with her sister Mrs. William Shackelford.

Mr. Tommy Turner left Thursday for Chicago, Illinois, where he will accept a position.

Mr. Albert Jewell has returned from Denver, Colorado, where he has been working during the summer months. Mr. Jewell will spend the remainder of the time with his parents until he leaves for Fayetteville where he will enter the University of Arkansas.

Rev. H. A. Fisk of the Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary has returned to Fort Worth, Texas, after a few days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Fisk Sr.

Rev. John Keith Gregory and Mrs. Gregory returned Thursday from a

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months vacation to points of interest in Mississippi, Illinois, and Louisiana.

Mr. Horace Jewell is visiting friends in Little Rock.

Mrs. Oscar Greenburg, Mrs. H. C. Whitworth and Miss Shirley Smith were Friday visitors in Texarkana.

Cadet Captain H. Gene McCune left for Peacock Military Academy September 3. Captain McCune graduated from Southwestern Military Academy at Pasadena, California, on June 13, and is registering at Peacock for the last two years of high school. Gene McCune is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. McCune 113 East 15th St.

Mrs. J. L. Bowden and Mrs. Neil Bacon left Friday to spend the week-end in Hot Springs.

Mr. Orin Gibson from Fayetteville is spending a few days with friends and relatives in Hope.

Mayor and Mrs. Albert Graves and children left Friday for a weeks vacation in North Carolina.

## U. S. Insists

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Production and Transport Problem

Today the Urals are said to produce more iron, coal, and steel than all Russia in 1914. But modern war has caused arms production to increase 40 times in eight years, and the regions now being engulfed are still important.

If the German enveloping movement, the greatest in military, succeeds, and the Russians lose the Leningrad-Moscow-Dnieper line, they may have to retreat beyond the Don and Volga rivers. That would lose them two-thirds of their coal, iron, steel and power and make enormous demands on the industrial centers of the Urals and Siberia.

Siberia still lags and military opinion here feels more and more that we must help take up the slack. American help for a rush job in building up Siberian war industries is a main outcome of Harry Hopkins' recent mission to Russia. We will send metal-working machinery, machine-tools, iron alloys. And since the German approach to Moscow threatens Russian aircraft production, we may have to fly planes from Alaska across Bering Strait to Anadyr.

They will need fuel, especially if Baku falls, for the Ural "Second Baku" is not enough. Later, it is now being said here, we may have to send railroad experts accustomed to Siberia's long hauls, for Russia's system east of the Volga is dinky, ronds few. Vladivostok's yards and docks were clogged in World War I and may become so again for all our consular there is allowed to see.

U. S. Must Take Russia's Word

The Russians have pretty much bluffed American attaches, so that far we just have to take the Russians' word for it that they need this or that and more important, that if we supply this or that, they can hold out. This is causing reports entirely unofficial, perhaps inaccurate—that Stalin fears trouble among the Red Army's increasing proportion of peasant soldiers. Since land, goods and cattle were taken from them to make collective farms, they are said to be less enthusiastic Communists than the workers. And most of the Far Eastern Army are peasants.

On the other hand, observers here are more encouraged by the recent Hopkins report and by the emergence

## Best Tank

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during off-hours. It is believed that the armored cavalrymen are developing the same affection for their maternal steel steeds as the traditional love borne by horse cavalrymen for their steeds.

It requires top-crust physical stamina also to take hours-on-end of the bruising battering that even "crash helmets" cannot altogether fend off. The hellish roar of the radial, airplane type diesel or gasoline motors is nerve wracking. The odor of hot lubricating oil makes many men "tank-sick"—and the heat is oven-like.

of these two tangible, authentic facts: 1. The Germans had no cast iron "invincible" for conquering Russia, but they did expect victory to come more quickly and easily than it has. 2. The Russians will fight as long as they have the means.

Excited Archimedes, famous mathematician of Sicily, was so elated at solving one great problem that he sprang from his bath and ran into the street, shouting "Eureka!" ("I have found it!")

Lots of novels don't sell despite the fact they're bound to.

## The Eyes Have It in the Army

### Facts Prove That Maneuvers Are Also Amusing

By JOHN GROVER

CAMP BLANDING, Fla. — The 62nd brigade column, U. S. Army, rolls west, poking its motorized nose into a test tube 1,000 miles long.

It's under military microscopes every mile. Brass hats cock critical eyes on it, checking the progress of a vital experiment—forging an army from an untrained mass of citizens.

This is military chemistry on a cross-country scale, shaking up men and machines with mud and dust and heat to find flaws in the army amalgam.

The 62nd is a typical outfit, a cross-section of your new army. Its selectees and National Guardsmen have been training since November—grammar and high school stuff. The September maneuvers are "college." What happens to the 62nd is happening to 500,000 other soldiers en route to the Louisiana war games.

Take a close look at this typical

## Newest Things in Education

### Children Are Now Taught to Develop Talents

By ADELAIDE KERR

AP Feature Service Writer

NEW YORK — The hand of a sturdy 9-year-old boy waved eagerly as the teacher jotted an algebraic equation on the board.

"Teacher, I don't mean to be rude, but if I'm not mistaken, you've made an error in the fourth decimal place. The 7 should be an 8."

The equation had nothing to do with the lesson of the fifth grade class, but the teacher had remarked that an algebraic equation could be applied at this point and the pupils had pleaded to see it. Then the boy spoke up to correct it. He was right.

That boy, and thousands of other bright children like him, represent one of education's greatest problems—the gifted child, the child with the high IQ. The child who points out the teacher's mistakes. The child who does his work in half the allotted time and uses the rest to draw maps in his book. The child whom the other kids call "Perfessor" when he says something like this: "I don't know whether there are fairies in our woods or not, but there are plenty of edible fungi."

Is the "Forgotten Child?"

Many of the country's best educators have been furrowing their foreheads over him for the past 25 years: They call him the "forgotten child." They point out that, while millions have been spent on deaf or slow-learning youngsters, relatively little has been done for the bright child on the theory that "he will take care of himself."

As a result of their efforts in his behalf some schools have given him special training within the last 10 years. A number of public schools throughout the country have special "honors," "opportunity" or "gifted" classes devoted entirely to his highly specialized education. Classes like these are found in New York, Minneapolis, Los Angeles, Baltimore, Cleveland, Md. They are, in the main, experimental, rather than a fixed policy. A much more general movement in other cities provides special work for the gifted child within the framework of his regular grade or class.

Aim to Develop Powers

The idea behind the work is this: The child with the high IQ should be educated to develop his latent powers to the greatest extent. Also, he must be happily and gainfully occupied in school, or he is likely to get into mischief or play truant. If he is advanced too rapidly through the grades, he lands in college too young and is likely to become a social misfit. So classes conducted for him provide in addition to his regular school work, a special enrichment program.

unit for a better idea of our army.

Taking a look at the army is the army's own favorite sport. Boy, do they inspect 'em. A double-check is just a casual glance. After quadruple, quintuple and unpeeped-multiple inspections, a soldier envies goldfish all that privacy.

The 1,000-mile trip begins with inspection. Captains check every man and every pack. They even check extra socks and soap. No required item is overlooked.

Double Double Check

I ride with Maj. Ken Miller of brigade staff. Officers have regular IP's—inspection points—to scrutinize the moving column. They note such details as conduct of men, condition of uniforms, speed and spacing of trucks, a hundred others.

The 31st division, the 62nd brigade's boss, has an inspector along to make an independent check. The VIII corps gives the double-O to the division. Third Army, topping the corps, checks the checkers checking the checkers. Third Army in turn runs the gauntlet of GHQ inspection.

Maj. Miller notes some men are wearing smart field caps—girls like 'em better — instead of "Ho-doo" (work hats) as ordered. Somebody will get "reamed" (bawled out) when the report goes in. He jots down the number of a truck with its canvas cover sloppily fastened. Even the rookie who sneaked his shoes off for a quiet snooze en route is spotted. It's unimpaired, makes a bad impression.

The major checks speed and spacing with a stop watch. Trucks should stay twice as many yards apart as the speedometer shows—60 yards at 30 m. p. h. In perfect formation, ten trucks a minute pass a given point. Maj. Miller notes sloppy driving in his "hell book."

These reports go to unit commanders, are relayed to sergeants, who single out the culprits for "reaming" or extra duty.

Perfect Timing

The system gets results. These kids nine months away from plants and factories and desks wheel \$2,000,000 worth of mechanized equipment along on split-minute schedule. Even when a truck is disabled in a crash at a small-town traffic light the column doesn't lose a minute. A "nurse" speeds ahead for an "elephant" (A motorcycle rider tending the column to spot trouble brings back a repair truck).

## Edson in Washington

### Red Navy, With 200 Subs, No Soft Touch

WASHINGTON — In all the to-do about the Russian army, not much attention has been paid to the Soviet navy, but in the big game of bluff now going on between the United States and Japan over the shipment of war supplies across the Pacific Fleet is something to conjure with.

Just what the strength of the U. S. S. R. navy is will necessarily remain a mystery. The Stalin boys don't give out on this dope the way they should, and their propaganda is positively funny. All it does is quote the best guesses that have been made by British and American reference works, June's Fighting Ships, Col. R. Ernest Dupuy's "World in Arms," and the writers in Japanese and German publications.

Taking the average of all these guesses, the Soviet navy is said to consist of four fleets, one each on the Baltic, the Black Sea, the Arctic and one on the Pacific. Of battleships, the Reds have from one to five; cruisers, seven heavy and anything-up-to-49 light. That isn't much of a navy, but where the Soviet is supposed to be particularly powerful is in submarines with approximately 200. If they are at all well trained, they might have a lot of fun operating against the Japanese fleets in the Sea of Japan.

One of the U. S. air forces' most closely guarded secrets is the Norden bomb sight. The Navy has been asked so many questions about it that one officer recently got tired of saying, "No!" to these queries, and had his answer printed on cards. Now, when anyone asks about the Norden bomb sight or other secret information, he is handed a black bordered card bearing the inscription:

The Holder of This Card Is Entitled to Our Deep and Heartfelt Sympathy! More on Mines

More information about the dreaded German acoustic mine and the methods of combating it is beginning to be received in the United States. This mine replaces the old magnetic mine, now successfully made harmless by magnetic cable belts around ship hulls. The acoustic mine is "attracted" to the ship, or at least exploded by vibration of the ship's movement through the water, and while it was at first thought to be a deadly weapon against all ships, it is now believed that steam-driven vessels are immune to the danger, though Diesel-driven vessels are not. The only successful maneuver against the acoustic mine so far has been to stop the engines of Diesel-driven ships going through the mined areas and slowly tow them into port. The big drawback here is that it reduces the speed of the convoy.

One of the U. S. Navy's oddest tasks at the moment is the job of trying to pry out of Japan a shipment of pig bristles, and the strained diplomatic relations aren't making the matter any easier.

Select, extra long Chinese pig bristles make the best paint brushes in the world. Japan's blockade has made difficult the direct export of them from China to the United States, but the Japanese have been doing considerable business in this trade from their occupied area on the Chinese mainland. Unfortunately, one big shipment of bristles happened to be going through Japan for transshipment just at the time the trade restrictions were slapped on by the two countries. Whether the shipment can be freed by State Department intervention is a question of shipping clearances.

Some of the Navy wags say they

wouldn't mind fighting Japan for sille stockings, but they'd hate to have to go to war just for pig bristles.

Blow me Wheels

A touring blood bank is one of the latest defense ideas thought up in Washington. What this strange device turns out to be is a Red Cross laboratory on wheels. It will travel the countryside and visit a number of cities, yelling for blood, or at least looking for blood, but not on the hit-skip driver basis.

Patriotic citizens will be asked to step into the car, have their blood tested and typed, and then the usual quantity of blood, put in cold storage, and later tried for blood plasma preservation and banked until called for in emergency transfusion. The cars also can be used as transfusion first aid stations.

Crimson Gowns

The wife of Henry II of France, Catherine de Medici, had such a liking for velvet and red that she made a law forbidding any woman not a princess to have a gown wholly of crimson.

Skunks are important to agricultural interests because they feed on insects, chiefly beetles, grasshoppers, grubs, and other forms of pests.

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# Robinson, Raft, Marlene Dietrich the Torrid Trio of 'Manpower'

## Saenger Film Sunday Has an All-Star Cast

**Raoul Walsh Directs the Action Picture Which Opens Here**

Films most dynamic threesome are starred in Warner Bros. exciting film, "Manpower," which makes it local bow this Sunday at the Saenger theater. The unbeatable star combination which heads the cast is Edward G. Robinson, Marlene Dietrich and George Raft. You can imagine the action and excitement that sweeps through the film when those three get together.

Robinson and Raft play the roles of a couple of robust linemen whose dangerous job it is to repair broken high tension wires. They are great pals, sharing each other's happiness and trouble, until a de-licious blonde, played by alluring Marlene Dietrich, comes along. Hard, cold and calculating, she suspects Robinson of having ulterior motives when he showers her with gifts and shows his affection in many ways. But Robinson is sincere. He has never known the love of a woman and Dietrich becomes his ideal.

Raft sees her for what she is and tells Robinson to forget about her. He says that she has gold-digger's blood in her veins and will bring nothing but trouble to Robinson. Raft goes still further. He asks Dietrich to drop Robinson. That sends her into a rage and she accepts Robinson's marriage proposal partly because she feels sorry for him and partly to spite the embittered Raft.

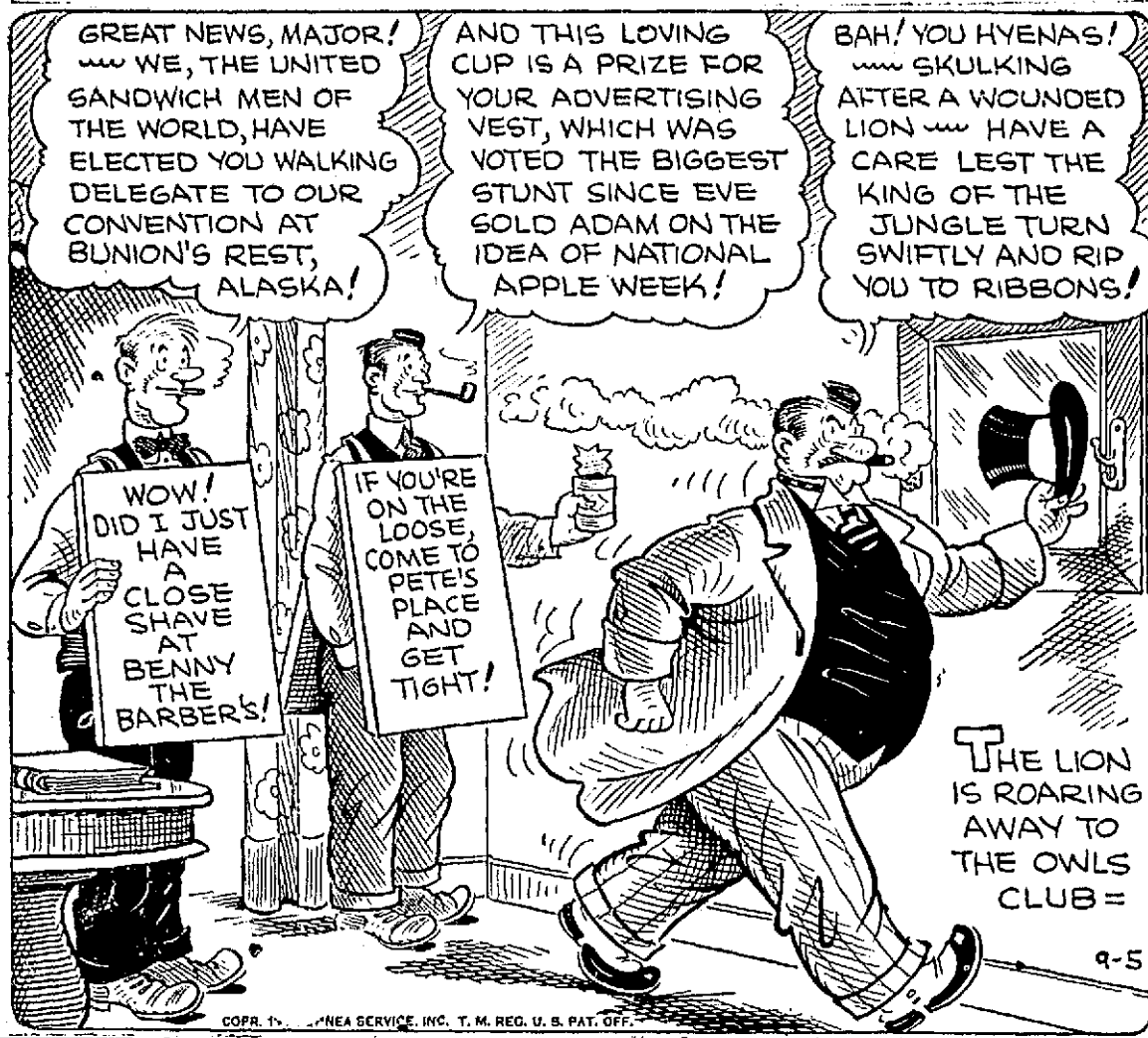
But a marriage built on spite and pity is bound to have disastrous results. Try as she may, Dietrich can't get used to Robinson's well-meaning, but clumsy ways. And to make things worse, she falls head-over-heels for Raft!

What a setup! The pent-up emotions of these three characters run through their heads with the power of a high-voltage cable. Robinson idolizing Dietrich... Raft, at first contemptuous of her, later fascinated by her confession of love for him... Dietrich, nearly driven to madness by her pretended love for Robinson, having to listen to him continually praise the man she really loves. It's a situation loaded with T. N. T. and it explodes in the high-powered climax.

Alan Hale and Frank McHugh supply plenty of laughs in "Manpower" as two practical jokers who don't lose their sense of humor in the face of danger. Other players in the

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## Harrison in Hollywood

By PAUL HARRISON, NEA Service Correspondent

### Shirley Temple Back as Glamor Girl

HOLLYWOOD — It was a little startling to see Shirley Temple in a full-length party dress and looking trim-figured as a deb rush across a room and into the arms of Herbert Marshall. They exchanged a couple of enthusiastic kisses.

All this was strictly father-and-daughter business, yet the procedure also seemed a little disconcerting to the elder player. Ordinarily a hard man to fluster, Marshall blew up in supporting cast are Walter Catlett, Eve Arden and Barbara Pepper. Raoul Walsh who has directed many an action-packed film hit was in familiar territory on his "Manpower" assignment, which is an original screenplay written by two of Hollywood's most talented screenwriters, who wrote the script for "Torrid Zone." Richard Macaulay and Jerry Wald.

his lines three times. Miss Temple, glowing with the excitement of being back in the old world of lights and dramatic tension, didn't make any mistakes.

The story of "Kathleen" is a good one for the reintroduction to the screen of the youngest whose career was almost wrecked by a lot of saccharin nonsense and cloying precocity. Miss Temple has been out of movies about 14 months, and the fans will want to see her in a vehicle that really puts her through her paces. This one does. Fun and despair, sweetness and devilry, singing and dancing are in it.

No Midget, She One of the most interesting prospects is that audiences finally will get a good look at the star. During her last year or so at 20th-Fox, her growth was minimized by costuming, by casting her with extra-tall adults,

and by means of various tricks in camera angles. These were responsible for the persistence of the myth that Shirley Temple was a midget.

Actually, of course, she was growing all the time. In the past 14 months she has added only about an inch, but fans who have been fooled by previous pictures will exclaim that she has shot up almost half a foot.

The Wonder Tot and Marvel Mite are gone. So is the babyish chubbiness. At 12, Shirley Temple stands an easy 4 feet, 11 inches and weighs, as of this writing, 10½ pounds.

Another thing: Her hair now is its own natural color—a dark brown, and getting darker. Her mother's hair is practically black, and she told me that it was quite blond when she was a child. Shirley wears hers in a shoulder-length, loose bob.

Gertrude and George Temple said they're very pleased with the script of "Kathleen," and also with the rest of the cast. Essentially the yarn is simple: Shirley is the motherless daughter of a rich and busy man. Her governess is a mean old biddy and the youngster matches her small persecutions with mischief. Lonely and distressed by her father's neglect, Shirley develops a sort of split personality; spends a lot of time in day-dreaming about happier situations.

Chance to Dance Her imaginations are enacted in the picture. In one of these fanciful flights she is a musical comedy star, and that provides the chance to show her singing and dancing in imitations of real celebrities.

Most interesting to me is the face of today's Shirley Temple. She still has those two offset dimples near the corners of her mouth, but instead of looking babyish they now add to a mobility of expression and charming impishness. The kid is down right beautiful, and even from this distance I can hear the thumping of a new generation of male hearts.

Then the telegram came. It was brief, to the point: "Saw your ad in hometown paper. Am okay. Uncle Sam's Army turned me down. Bum ticker. Maybe Canada can use me." It was signed "Ted."

"He might at least have added 'Love,'" Flynn grumbled. "Wouldn't have cost him much."

"If he goes to Canada—where will he cross the border?" Kay asked.

"Any place in a couple of thousand miles," Flynn snorted. "But he'll probably go either to Detroit or Niagara Falls. Joe, you and Mary try Detroit. Kay, we'll take the plane to Buffalo."

THE big airliner seemed to crawl through the air. Kay's thoughts raced ahead. What if they were too late? What if Ted had already enlisted? She would wait, she knew, always. What if?

The stewardess tapped her shoulder. "Fasten your safety belt, please, we're landing."

Mike hurried the remaining miles to Niagara, installed Kay in a hotel.

"We'll check in at the recruiting office first. Ask them to notify all other offices. Don't fret, Katie, we'll find the boy."

She made Mike go alone. Something—a hunch, perhaps—kept her from going with him. She walked from the hotel to the Falls. Even Niagara's magnificence left her unmoved.

Honeymooners come here, she thought. Happy brides and grooms. She was alone. She sat on a park bench. Across the walk a man glanced at her. He would speak to her in a minute, if she didn't stop staring. She picked up a newspaper, but she couldn't read the headlines.

She did not see him come down the walk, didn't notice him sit at the far end of the bench. The man across the walk shuffled his feet. Kay looked up.

"TED!"

"KAY!"

His arms were around her, his kisses on her lips.

"Ted! Why? Why did you leave?" she whispered.

He kissed her again. There would be time for explanations later.

The man across the walk left, abruptly.

(To Be Concluded)

## Sunday School Lesson

Narrow Sectionalism and Prejudice Find No Place in Kingdom of God Text: Revelation 7:9-17

By WILLIAM E. GILROY, D. D., Editor of Advance

From the Book of Revelation our lesson presents one of the most striking and beautiful passages to set before us the vision of the eternal God as man's source of help in time of persecution and trial.

Out of the world of harried and bitterly persecuted Christians the writer of the Book of Revelation beholds a vision in striking contrast. The very nature of the passage ought to emphasize in our minds the extent to which this is a vision. Yet we should remember that in this imaginary form it presents real and vital truth and the assurance of a great triumph of all that is pure and true and holy.

If we try to put the vision into the figures and terms that the prosaic western mind is inclined to conjure up when we read the Bible, we are led into difficulties. We can hardly portray in that matter of fact way this "great multitude which no man could number." What we do want to grasp in this vision is the fact that the writer himself was dealing with something, the immensity of which he could hardly grasp. Let us look at the meaning of the vision in some detail.

First, the company of the faithful in this ultimate triumph of right was in the vision of a great multitude. That in itself is comforting—to know the Gospel was not for a few but directed toward all men, so the Gospel triumph is not limited in its nature.

It is a good thought for fearful souls when they feel that the company of the faithful is not by any means small one. Napoleon once said, with his cynical disregard of right, that God is on the side of the great battalions. Napoleon had his answer, but it is good to know that the greatest battalions may be on the side of God. The seer and poet of the Book of Revelation saw by the throne of God a great multitude.

Second, this great multitude was of every nation. Someone has remarked upon the tendency of Britons to think of the Kingdom of God as synonymous with Great Britain. It is a narrowness of vision by no means confined to Britons. We Americans are too often wont to think as if our country were particularly the chosen of God, but God chooses the faithful out of every nation. There is no narrow nationalism in God's Kingdom.

Next, the company of triumphant saints were of all languages. There is no separation in God's Kingdom of men according to their race or speech. Here is the rebuke of this Christian seer to all narrow sectional prejudice.

Fourth, it was a company in white robes with palms in their hands, that is, it was a company clean and purified, bearing the symbols of triumph.

And fifth, it was a company of those who, coming out of great tribulations, had triumph. What a glorious picture it is that the writer gives—no more hunger, no more thirst, no more suffering, but the love and power of God whipping every tear from every eye!

About Goldfish All the exaggerated forms of goldfish have been derived from one form. They breed true for a time, but gradually revert to this original type. The fancy breeds are results of man's interference with nature.

## 'Manpower' Comes to the Saenger Theater on Sunday



According to the news wires, this battle between George Raft and Edward G. Robinson on the set of "Manpower" was one film fracas in which no punches were pulled.

## Gay Hit Has Bud Abbott, Lou Costello, Dick Powell

'In the Navy' Returns to Rialto For 2-Day Play

Crammed with audience entertainment values, Universal's new service comedy, Bud Abbott and Lou Costello and Dick Powell in "The Navy," which opens Sunday at the Rialto Theater, will probably go down in cinematic history as one of the laugh hits of this generation. Highlighted by brilliant performances and adorned with new songs, the offering promises to surpass in boxoffice returns even the record-breaking figures piled up by "Back Streets."

Heading the big cast playing in support of the three stars are the Andrews Sisters—Patty, Maxene and LaVerne; Claire Dodd, Dick Foran, Butch and Buddy and Shemp Howard. Deserving special mention are those sensational exponents of the dance, the celebrated Condos Brothers.

Universal has spent with lavish hand in providing the picture with a mounting in keeping with its expensive player roster. Other exceptional elements are likewise merged to put this one at the top of the "must see" list of films.

Several new numbers written by Gene de Paul and Don Raye, as well as a favorite tune out of the long ago—"Oceana Roll"—are sung by Dick Powell, the Andrews Sisters, Butch and Buddy, Dick Foran and Abbott and Costello and huge choral ensembles. Two of the major musical moments are backgrounded against the Andrews' rendition of "Gimme Some Skin" and "Hula-Ba-Lulu," both of which follow the currently

## Lemos Is First Mexican Champ

Season Starts With Good Crops of New Fighters

By HARRY GRAYSON

NEA Service Sports Editor NEW YORK — Another boxing season rolls around with an unusually good crop of new fighters.

Richie Lemos of Los Angeles has beaten both champions of the featherweight title to become pretty generally recognized in that division.

The slambang type, Lemos knocked out Percy Scanlon, who was recognized by the National Boxing Association, in five. He dropped Joey Archibald to the bottom rope in taking all 10 rounds from the New York commission's candidate.

Lemos was forced to come in above the class limit, and the fact that he scaled only three-quarters of a pound more than 126 shows how easily he could have made the weight for Archibald.

Aurelio Herrera, Joe Rivers and Baby Arizmendi come close. Bert Colina was a first rate middleweight, but Lemos is the first Mexican world champion.

Growing Colan Kuyos Mammok Booker Taliferro Beekwith, a light heavyweight, and Johnny Colan, a rapidly growing middleweight, have leaped to the fore in Chicago.

Beekwith, a Negro resident of Gary, Ind., and the son of a preacher, scaled no more than 172 when he dropped the full-grown heavyweight, Red Burman, twice in registering his 17th consecutive victory. Only seven months ago, Beekwith, member of a family of 1, needed money for groceries so badly that he asked to fight twice in a night to double his purse.

Colan, from the west side of New York, has won five fights in a row in Chicago. . . knocked out Steve Mammok in his last.

Lem Franklin is a negro heavyweight with a punch who operates out of Chicago.

Bill Poland of New York may be good enough to get somewhere as a heavy, provided Jack Kearns gives him the opportunity to convince the public he has real ability.

Irish Johnny Denison is a fair heavyweight prospect with a couple of eye-catching victories to his credit in Indianapolis. He knocked out Neville Beech.

Marty Servo, Utica welter cousin of Lou Ambers, is unbeaten in 40-odd starts.

Robinson Trims N. B. A. Champion Ray Robinson, New York negro, had Sammy Angott down in taking a 10-round decision from the N. B. A. lightweight leader in Philadelphia.

Other lightweights of worth are Lulu Constantino, Patsy Giovannielli and Bobby Ruffing of New York, Mike Ruffa of Pittsburgh and Harry Hurst of Canada. Constantino has bagged 43 straight. Giovannielli has copied 37 of 38, repelling Ruffing in his most recent effort. Ruffing is the flashy son of Teddy Hubbs, who fought Benny Leonard, Johnny Kilbane and other topnotchers of his day.

Beau Kay is a green negro lightweight sponsored by a group of wealthy men who first met him around the Augusta National golf course. Kay—real name Sidney Walker—is a jarring hitter now entertaining in and around New York.

Freddie Pope is an unbeaten Louisville bantam.

Professional boxing has room for all these new faces . . . and then some.

first message after a month's absence.

CATHOLIC Rev. Francis J. McKee

Sunday is the 14th Sunday after Pentecost. Confessions will be heard Saturday evening from 7:30 to 8:15. Miss will be offered this Sunday morning at 7:30, followed by Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament. Confession will also be heard before Mass.

The Knights of Columbus Council No. 2650 will hold their Grand Annual Picnic this Sunday at the Fair park in Hope. Everyone is invited to attend this event.

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## WANT-AD ROMANCE

By TOM HORNER

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### CHAPTER XI

TED: Please let us hear from you. Worried. Kay.

KAY danced down the dock to the canoe. Joe and Mary were to be married! Tomorrow, maybe. If Ted—could make it a double wedding—

Ted should be waiting for her. She had promised herself this last moonlight canoe trip, planning an ideal setting for his proposal. There had been other opportunities, she recalled, but Ted had evaded them. That last night in the plant—She was sure he intended asking her then, but she had wanted a more romantic setting.

She wondered when Joe had asked Mary. That first night at the lake, or at the dance. She decided it must have been at the dance. Mary had adored Joe ever since he came to the factory, she had confessed, but she was willing to turn him in as a spy. Kay wondered if she would have possessed such courage.

And Joe, dear old Joe. If she had had a brother, Kay would have wanted him to be just like Joe Benton. Big, successful, understanding. She owed everything to Joe. If he hadn't spilled that acid, they might never have known all about Wondrosap.

Where was Ted? Surely he wouldn't break their last date at the lake. He might have been delayed in town, getting the car serviced for the trip home. She would wait.

FLYNN called her outside early the next morning. "Just what did you say to that boy last night, Kay?" he demanded, almost sternly. "You've been leading him on, making him think he had a chance. There was no cause to hurt him that much."

"What are you talking about, Mike? I didn't see Ted last night. I waited on the dock until after midnight. He didn't show up. He's the one who will do the apologizing."

"You didn't see him?" Flynn was bewildered. "He stormed in the house about 9, packed his things and left, before I knew what he was doing. He seemed sore about something."

"He's gone?" Kay didn't say goodby?

"Kay could hardly believe it. Not Ted. He couldn't leave her like this. Without a word of explanation. Without asking her—

The final blow came later. A

couple of youngsters, swimming near the diving raft, saw a gleam of shining metal under water. But the treasure they retrieved was not the gold they had imagined, but a shining doorknob.

Kay heard them yelling outside the cottage, ran out to see for herself. She recognized it instantly. "He took it from the plant—he kept it—now he's thrown it away." She ran back to her room, threw herself on the bed, "I never want to see him, or that doorknob again," she sobbed. "Never!"

But she took time to hunt up the youngsters and buy the doorknob for a dollar before she left the lake.

MIKE FLYNN paced the length of his office, turned, faced Kay.

"Now stop your worrying, Katie girl," he said tenderly. "The lad will see this ad and come a-running. He should be telephoning any minute now." He bit down fiercely on a stub of a cigar, resumed his pacing. "The young idiot!"

"Ted's no idiot!" Kay defended. "It was all my fault. He must have seen me kiss Joe, and then he thought—" The tears were freed again.

"So what?" Flynn demanded. "If a girl loved me like you love this—this—I'd be willing to fight for her. I wouldn't let any college professor run away with my girl!"

"I never told Ted I loved him. I wanted everything to be strictly business—I've made him think I care for Joe—"

The telephone jangled. Both grabbed for it. Mike took the call. It wasn't Ted. It was Mary.

"We're postponing the wedding," she said. "Joe is taking a leave of absence until you locate Ted. We'll arrive on the afternoon plane."

THERE were no clues. Ted had simply dropped out of sight. The telegrapher at Lake Ollivara had sold him a ticket to Chicago, but there the trail ended. Mike hired private detectives, even notified the police, but Ted could not be found.

To Kay, the days and nights were torture. She recalled everything Ted had said. That kiss at the plant, when Wondrosap was their big dream.

She couldn't even go back to the plant to recapture any memories. A high steel fence surrounded the factory now; soldiers guarded the gate. She didn't have a single can of Wondrosap. All she had was a shining doorknob.

## Champion Sitter

